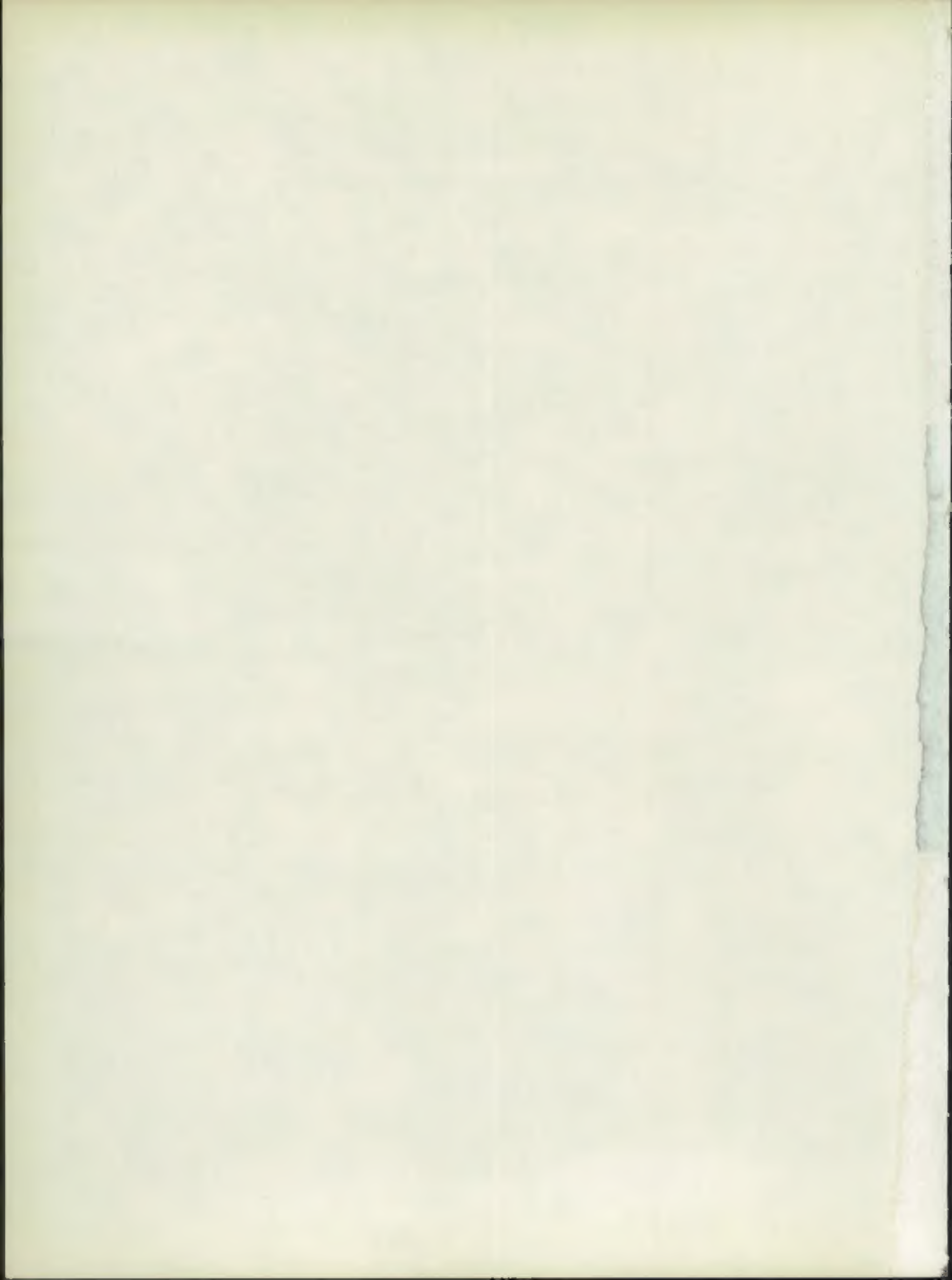




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Yearbook of

CLEAR CREEK SCHOOL

*Mr., Mrs., and Miss Public:
May we, the staff, present*

MEMORIAE,

*a living remembrance of days
packed full of fun, work, and
achievements at
Clear Creek School*

THE STAFF

STANDING: Diann Bentz, Copy Editor; David Heiney, Sports Editor; Norma Deemer, Feature Editor; Dolores Keller, Organization Editor; Mr. Butt, Faculty Advisor; Fred Vendrick, Business Manager. SITTING: Gary Neterer, Advertising Manager; Marcia Shriner, Editor, Senior; Janice McCombs, Editor, Junior; Mrs. Rupley, Faculty Advisor.





Faculty



PRINCIPAL: Mr. M. Dale Butt

Mr. Butt came to our school ten years ago. He is a graduate from Manchester College, and Indiana University.

The School Administrative Officials agree with Benjamin Franklin, "That nothing is of more importance for the public welfare, than to form and train up youth in wisdom and virtue."

TRUSTEE: Mr. Paul Howenstine; ADVISORY BOARD: Mr. Floyd Selle, Mr. Robert Warner, Mr. Richard Amick.





ROBERT BAUMGARDNER
Social Studies; Physical Education; Driver's Training



MAX FORDYCE
Mathematics; Chemistry



FERNE JOHNSON
English; Physical Education; Library



ELSIE KITT
Home Economics; Art



PHILIP LAHR
Industrial Arts; Physical Education; Coach



PRISCILLA LYMAN
Music



MARY RUPLEY
Commerce; Latin



MARK STOFFEL
History; English; Biology



DONALD DENNIE
Elementary, Grade Six



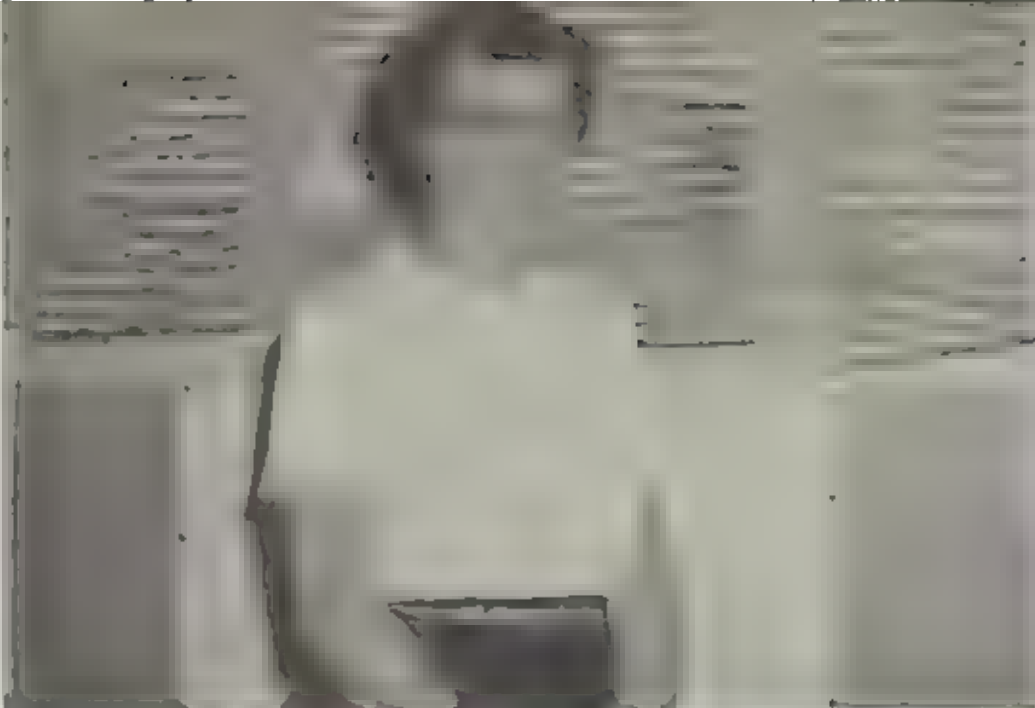
MAXINE GARRISON
Elementary, Grade Five



LORETTA DOLBY
Elementary, Grade Four



THELMA HIPPENSTEEL
Elementary, Grade Three



RUTH HARRIS
Elementary, Grade Two



JUNE LAUDEMAN
Elementary, Grade One



Cooks
DOROTHEA HAMMEL, EDITH BURKHART



Custodian
HAROLD JOHNSON



Bus Drivers
KEITH SELLE, HAROLD BAADE, BERNARD ECKERT
GEORGE PENCE, Absent



Senior officers on opposite page: Rosalyn Jennings, Secretary; Marcia Shriner, President; Dolores Keller, Treasurer; Galen Lahr, Vice President.



Seniors



ANDERSON, DONALD LEE

Class Vice President 3; Student Council 1, 2, 4, President 4; Bulldog Bark 3; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 3, 4; Track 3, 4; BB Assist Trophy 4; Junior Play; Senior Play



BROOKS, DONALD LEE

Class President 1, 2; Senior Play.



DAVENRINER, LARRY WAYNE

Band 1; Bulldog Bark 3; Basketball Student Manager 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play.



DEEMER, NORMA EILEEN

Class Vice President 1, President 3; Student Council 4; Band 1, 2, 3, Chorus 1, 2, 3; Triple Trio 3, Bip-pas Bandstand 3; SSS 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, All-School Play 3; Junior Play, Senior Play.



FULTON, BETTY LOU

Student Council 2, Chorus 2, 3, GAA 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice President 4, SSS 3, Volleyball 3, Junior Play, Senior Play



GRESSLEY, JANICE ELAINE

Chorus 1, 2, 3; Girls' Sextet 3, Bulldog Bark 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 4; Major GAA Letter Award 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; County Spelling Contest 2, Alternate 3.



HIPPENSTEEL, LYNN ALICE
National Scholastic Contest 3;
Class Vice President 2; President
3; Student Council 1; Bulldog Bark
3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Major GAA Let-
ter Award 4; Basketball 3; Volley-
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior
Play; Latin Contest 3.



JENNINGS, ROSALYN JOAN
Class Secretary 3, 4; Chorus 4;
SSS 4; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4;
Volleyball 2, 3; Junior Play; Sen-
ior Play.



KELLER, DOLORES ANN
National Anthology HS Poetry 3;
School Librarian 1, 2, 4, Class
Treasurer 3, 4; Band 7, 8, 1, 2, 3, 4,
Letter and Senior Award, Librarian
3; Instrumental Solo Contest 1, 2,
Chorus 1, 2, 4; Yearbook 4; Bull-
dog Bark 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4, Secre-
tary 3; Major GAA Letter Award 4;
Junior Play; Senior Play; Spelling
Contest, 2nd County 1, 3rd
County 3; English Contest 3,
Speech Contest 3; Basketball 3,
Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4.



LAHR, GALEN LEE
Class Vice President 4; Chorus 3;
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Ping Pong
Champ 1, 2; Junior Play; Senior
Play.



MEYER, RONALD LEE
Student Council 2; Chorus 2, Base-
ball 4; Volleyball 2, 4; Basketball
Student Manager 1, 2; Junior Play;
Senior Play.



MOONEY, DOROTHY DAWN
DAR Citizenship 4; Class Secre-
tary 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Bippus Band-
stand 3; SSS 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1,
2; All-School Play 3; Junior Play;
Senior Play; Spelling Contest 1, 2,
3; English Contest 4.



RAICHANT, ELAINE KAY

Band 7, 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter and Senior Award; Chorus 1; Bulldog Bark 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Major GAA letter award 4; Basketball 3; Volleyball 4; Junior Play; Senior Play Prompter.



SHRINER, MARCIA ANN

Class President 4; Student Council 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Sextette 2; Yearbook 4; Volleyball 1, 2.



SMITH, MARILYN JEAN

Class Secretary 1; President 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Yearbook 3; Bippus Bandstand 3; SSS 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; All-School Play 3; Junior Play; Senior Play.



STEPHENS, ROGER LEE

Chorus 1, 2; Junior Play.



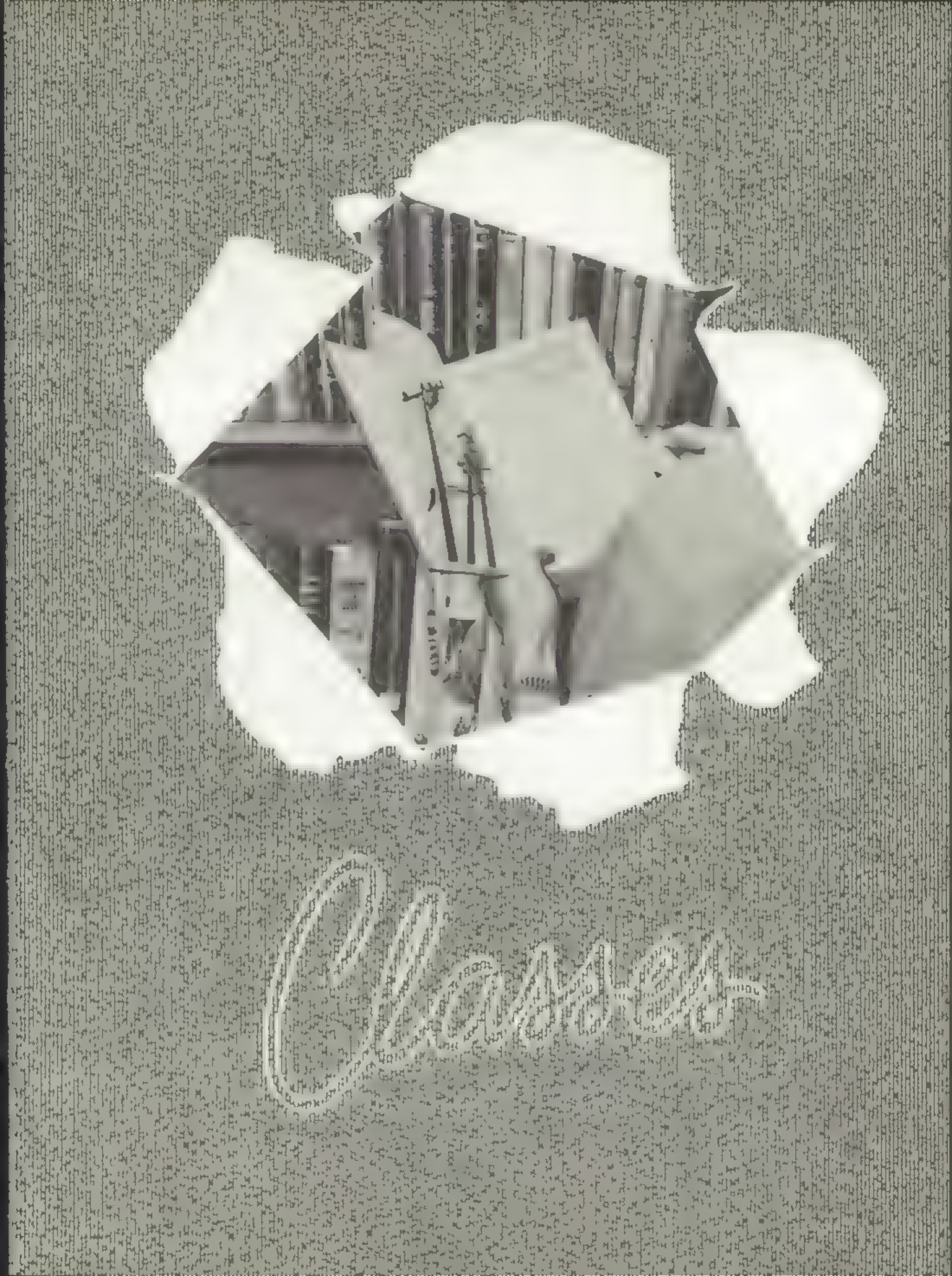
ULRICH, JEAN ANN

Chorus 1, 2, 3; Girls' Sextet 3; Bulldog Bark 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Major GAA Letter Award 4; Junior Play; Senior Play.



WEST, THOMAS MICHAEL

Class Treasurer 3; Yearbook 3; Bippus Bandstand 3; Basketball Student Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; All-School Play 3; Junior Play; Senior Play.





STEVEN BEARD
DIANN BENTZ



KAREN BICKEL
ROGER BURKHART



Fred Vendrick, President; Pat Callison,
Vice President; Janice McCombs, Secretary;
Pam Garrison, Treasurer.

Juniors



PATRICIA CALLISON
WILLIAM CLORI
JUDY CRAIG



JUDY EMLEY
DAVID FLORA
PAMELA GARRISON



DAVID HEINEY
JANICE HORRELL
DOUGLAS JENNINGS

JANICE McCOMBS
CAROL MEYER
JOHN MICHEL



WANDA MILLER
ROBERT MYERS
SHIRLEY MYERS



GARY NETERER
RONALD NOSKER
LOUISE ROTH



EDWARD SANDS
RONALD SCHEP
LOUIS SNYDER



DANIEL ULRICH
FRID VENDORICK
DIANE ZIEGLER





Sophomores

Eloise Harold, Treasurer; Sandra Richardson, Vice President;
James Howenstine, President; Barbara Gurtner, Secretary



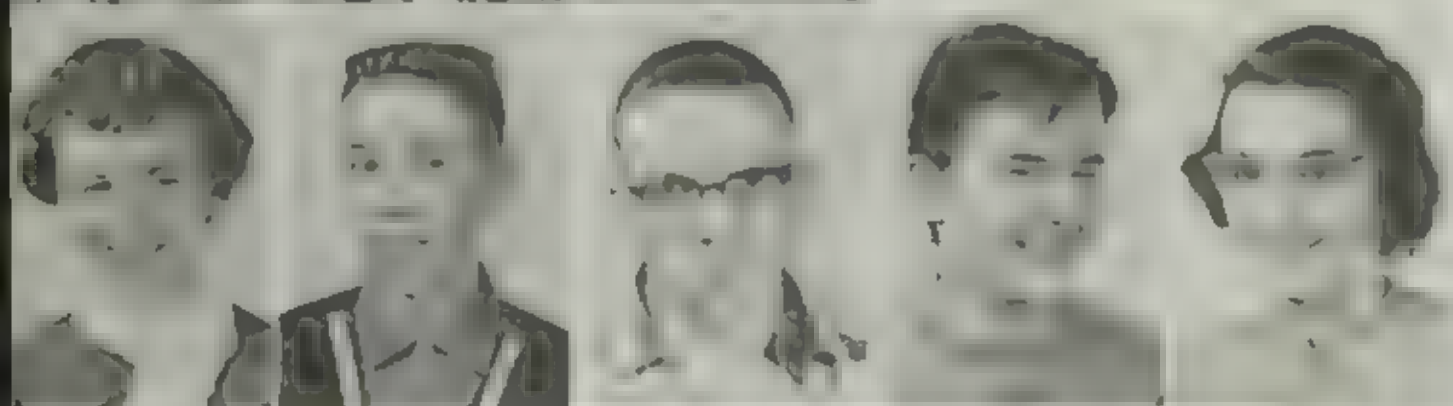
Nancy Blew
Sharon Byrd
Joe Deal
Jerry Drew
David Finton



Daniel Graham
Barbara Gurtner
Ronald Hammel
Eloise Harold
Janet Horrell



James Howenstine
Steve Kincaid
Jean Kwietkowski
Kay Leonhardt
Judy Miller



Linda Montague
James Raichart
John Reeves
Sandra Richardson
Joy Rupley



Sharon Smith
John Snyder
Marvin Stark
Madalyn Warner
James Zinsmeister

Freshmen

Kenneth Jennings, President; Sandra Miller, Treasurer; Barbara Bickel, Secretary; Sue Schmalzried, Vice President.

Shirley Baker
Jay Beekman
Barbara Bickel
Larry Brubaker
Gary Burkhart
Roxanna Carver

Beverly Coble
Joy Craig
Marc Davenport
Robert Deemer
Jerry Farthing
Kathleen Griffiths

Joyce Harman
Stephanie Helvie
Richard Henline
Ronald Horrell
Kenneth Jennings
Judy Johnson

Francis Jones
Donald Kennedy
Dorothy Lahr
David Marsh
Karen Messmore
Sandra Miller

Phyllis Myers
Thomas Robb
Sue Schmalzried
Carol Snyder
Katherine Urschel
Billie Mae Vielhauer

Joe Wagner
Lynn Walter
John Webb
Hal Whitacre
Ellen Ziegler
Robert Ryan





GRADE SIX

TOP ROW: Jean Brich, Pamela Whitestone, Connie Craig, Charles Bessler, Jocanna Williams, Anita Walter, Frank Varthamer, Larry Stenzel. SECOND ROW: Nancy Neterer, Sueden Smith, Susanne Croser, Terry Finley, Joe Happensteel, Wilfred Lecky, Jennifer Drew, Teacher, Mr. Leanne. BOTTOM ROW: Mary Lou McCombs, Ann Schmitt, Robert Morton, Jerry Hevick, Joyce Morris, Darby Blackart, Mitchell Ulrich, Claire Johnson.

GRADE FIVE

TOP ROW: Robert Waltons, Emily Alsop, Stephen Ziegler, Steven Swatow, Jeff S. C. Baker, Teacher, Mrs. Garrison. SECOND ROW: Dean Johnson, Terry Brass, Mary Schmitt, Sharon Harpelle, Mike Howenstine, Steven Fister. BOTTOM ROW: Steven Harpelle, Terry Eller, Alan Ellinger, Laddonna Neff, Beth Roudebush, Mary Richard.





GRADE FOUR

TOP ROW: CAROL ANTON, Larry Blase, Ervyn Bersoli, David Wierthy, Douglas Farthing, Peggy Alspach, Nancy Anderson, Janice Sears. SECOND ROW: Phillip Beck, Carol Baker, Janet Phillips, Deborah Miller, Jean Suter, Ted Plister, Jay Fuley, Teacher, Mrs. Dobby. THIRD ROW: James Guethler, Susan Schmitt, Linda Bertrands, John Ramsey, Karen Arnold, Linda Arnold, Patricia Briss, Marilyn Hartman, Coby James. BOTTOM ROW: Larry Fuley, Jim Miller, Coby Meyer, Jim Myers, Bill Kucala, Catherine Burkhardt, Nancy Roth, Judy Farthing, Kay Bauer.

GRADE THREE

TOP ROW: Marvin Jensen, Evelyn Widony, Ned Smith, Charles Williams, Linda Cray, Jay Laht, John Guethler, Coby Miller, Teacher, Mrs. Rappensteel. SECOND ROW: Marilyn Wilson, Barbara Price, David Wyra, Debbie Kanthak, Tommy Henline, Mary Briss, Rex Wilton, Cheryl Roubesh, Mary Platter. BOTTOM ROW: Charla Roubesh, Sally Beard, Joyce Baker, Thomas Vidler, Marsha Hessler, Ann Beard, Jim Morton, Bill Whitestone, Philip Sears.





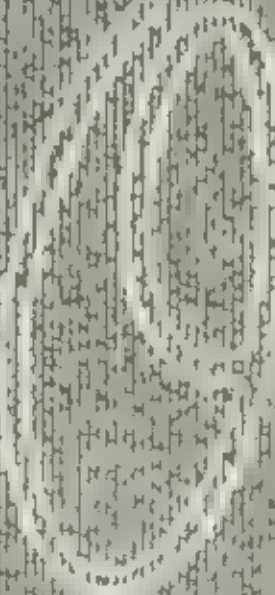
GRADE TWO

TOP ROW: Diane Walters, Catherine Pape, Alan Lahr, Bob Fanning, Jack Schoenauer, Gerald Hartman, Terry Zorger. SECOND ROW: Elaine Harold, Cheryl McCombs, Becky Miller, Cynthia Anderson, Connie Nell, Suellen Beard, David Guethler; Teacher, Ruth Harris. BOTTOM ROW: Eric Hartman, David Willong, Sheryl Beaver, Cindy Stoffel, Janice Farthing, Jimmy Schoenauer, Donnie Stedlar

GRADE ONE

TOP ROW: Jack Henline, Roger Carroll, Mark Beck, Rex Miller, Kim Zorger, James Johnson, Larry Miller. SECOND ROW: Linda Wilson, Susan Amick, Kathy Hartman, Becky Fanning, Jane Anderson, Karen Hunter, Deborah Johnson, Teacher, June Laddaman. BOTTOM ROW: Ronald Snyder, Cecil Barker, Max Byrd, Cathy Hutchison, Nancy Meyer, Beverly Miller, Jack Wilson







MUSIC IS BURSTING OUT ALL OVER. . .



as the quartette and chorus sing in close
harmony. . .

QUARTETTE

Jerry Drew, Fred Vendrick, Janice
McCombs, Dorothy Lahr, and Joy
Rupley.



Chorus

TOP ROW: Diana Bentz, Pamela Garrison, Rosalyn Jennings, Stephanie Helvic, Kate Melvill, Kathleen Griffiths, Katherine Urschel. SECOND ROW: Joyce Harman, Betty Fulton, Beverly Coble, Joy Rupley, Janice McCombs, Roxanaa Carver, Shirley Baker, Joannes Keller. BOTTOM ROW: Carol Snyder, Judy Miller, Nancy Blew, Elorse Harola, Sharon Smith, Phyllis Myers, Dorothy Lahr, Director, Mrs. Priscilla Lyman.





...and as the BAND performs at concerts, contests, and ball games.

BACK ROW: J. Norwood, M. Keith, H. W. J. Kite, L. Beard, Mrs. Lyman, Director. THIRD ROW: F. Grossman, S. Hafford, L. Neel, L. Benaker, A. Beard, K. Roth, K. Knecht, C. Stinner, J. Shocker, B. Bichel, J. McCombs, J. W. Poy, S. Keweenaw, J. Keller. SECOND ROW: E. Ziegler, N. H. Poy, J. White, C. Meyer, J. Marsh, C. Seader, M. McCombs, G. Howenstein, S. Schmaltzried, S. Miller, S. Myers. FIRST ROW: E. Raichart, D. Lahr, P. Myers, M. Schmidt, and K. Urschel.



The beginning twirling class is "bursting out" with skill under the guidance of the

VETERAN MAJORETTES

Judy Miller

Judy Emler



Student Council

FIRST ROW: Dorothy Lahr, Don Anderson, John Michel, Judy Craig, Norma Deemer, Marcia Slarner, Madalyn Warner. SECOND ROW: Mr. Butt, Principal; Kenneth Jennings, Don Kennedy, Fred Vendrick, Jim Howenstine, and Jim Zinsmeister.

The student council, librarians, and the office girls are "bursting" with enthusiasm about their work.

Librarians

Joy Rupley, Judy Johnson, Dolores Keller, Janice McCombs, and Sandy Miller.

Office Girls

Betty Fulton and Madalyn Warner.





Girls' Athletic Association

TOP ROW: L. Montague, B. Gurner, M. Warner, C. Meyer, J. Craig, N. Brew, S. Smith, B. Coble, J. Johnson. FOURTH ROW: J. Craig, J. Emley, P. Garrison, S. Richardson, P. Callison, L. Roth, K. Bickel, S. Myers, L. Hippensteel, J. Gressley. THIRD ROW: P. Myers, B. Viehauer, J. Rupley, D. Ziegler, J. Horrell, I. Leonhardt, J. McKinley, K. Messmore, J. Miller. SECOND ROW: D. Lahr, J. Harman, K. Griffiths, E. Ziegler, K. Urschel, B. Bickel, S. Schmalzried, S. Miller, F. Harold. BOTTOM ROW: Mr. Johnson, Sponsor, C. Snyder, J. McCombs, R. Jennings, B. Fulton, D. Bentz, S. Helvie, R. Carver, S. Baker, J. Ulrich, E. Raichart, D. Keller.

THE GIRLS' LIVES ARE "BURSTING" WITH ACTIVITY AND LOVE AS THEY SERVE IN GAA-SSS.

Sunshine Society

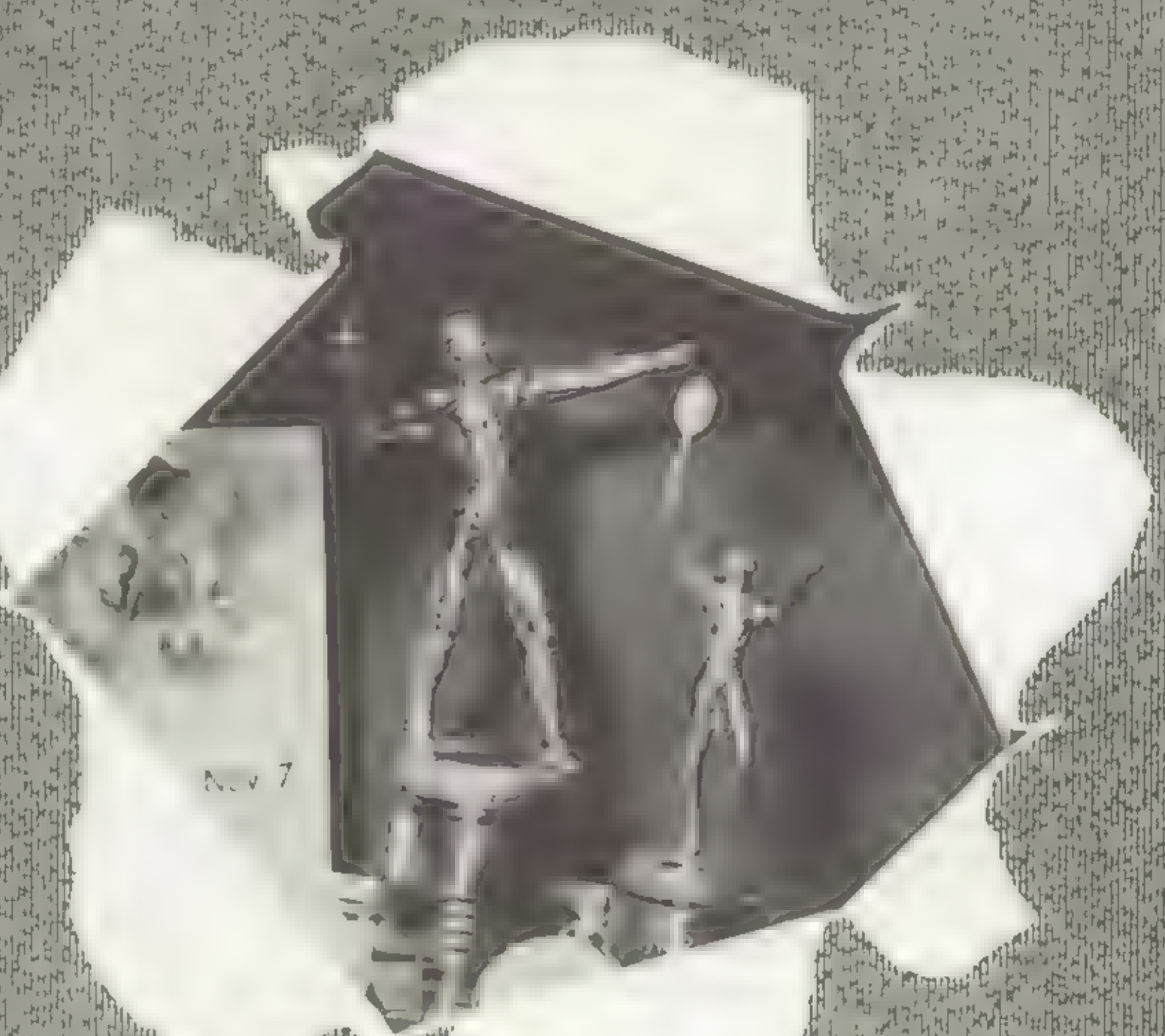
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Cheerleaders: JEAN SMITH, BARBARA BICKEL, PAMELA GARRISON

The Building Team Supporters - Above.

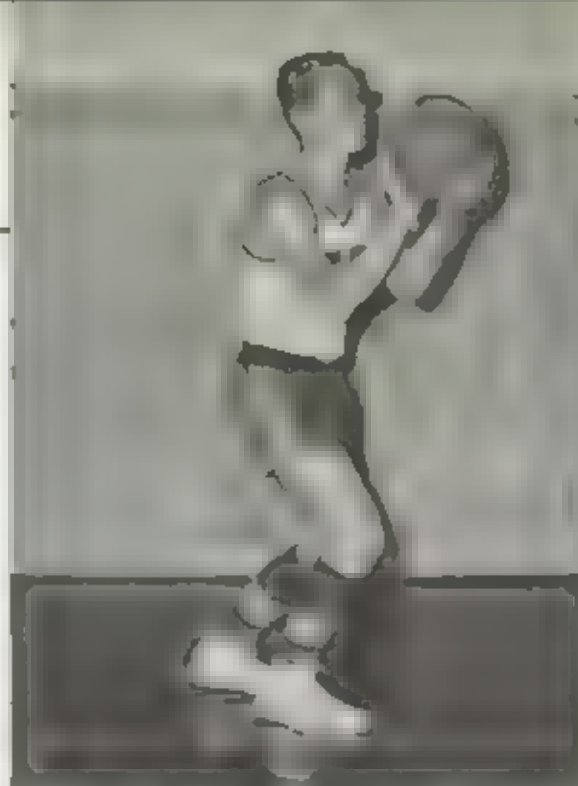


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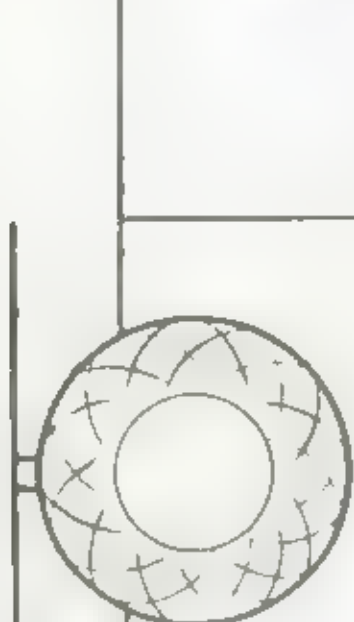
DON ANDERSON



DOUG JENNINGS



JIM



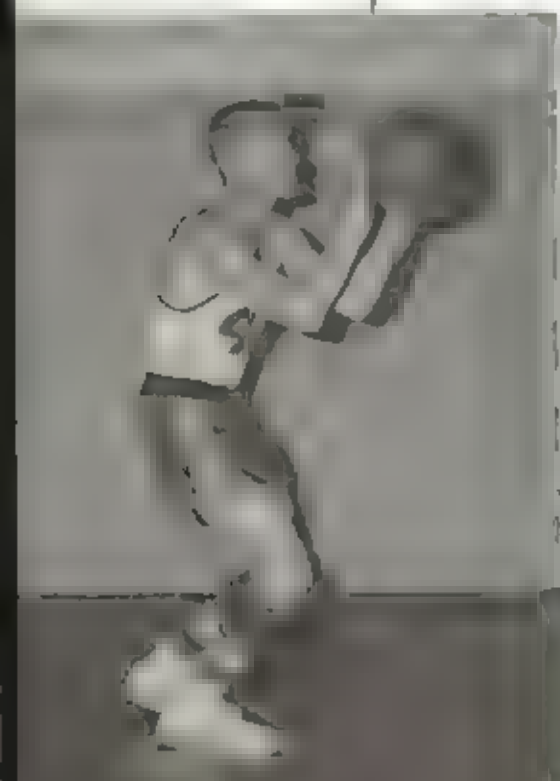
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Student
Managers



MR. LAHR

JOHN MICHEL

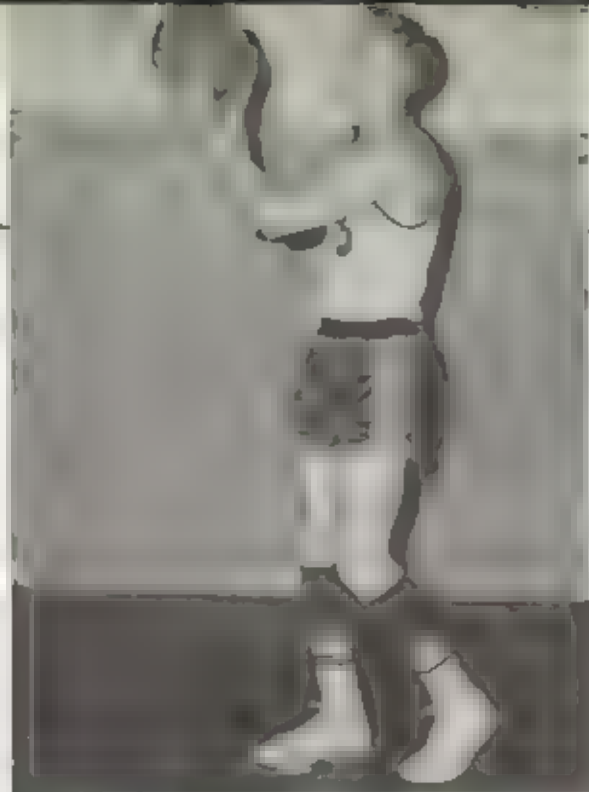


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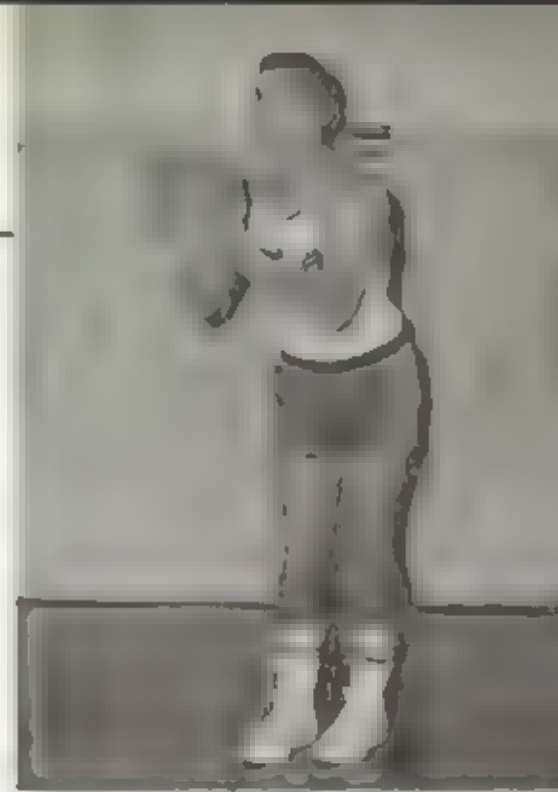




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FRED VENDRICK

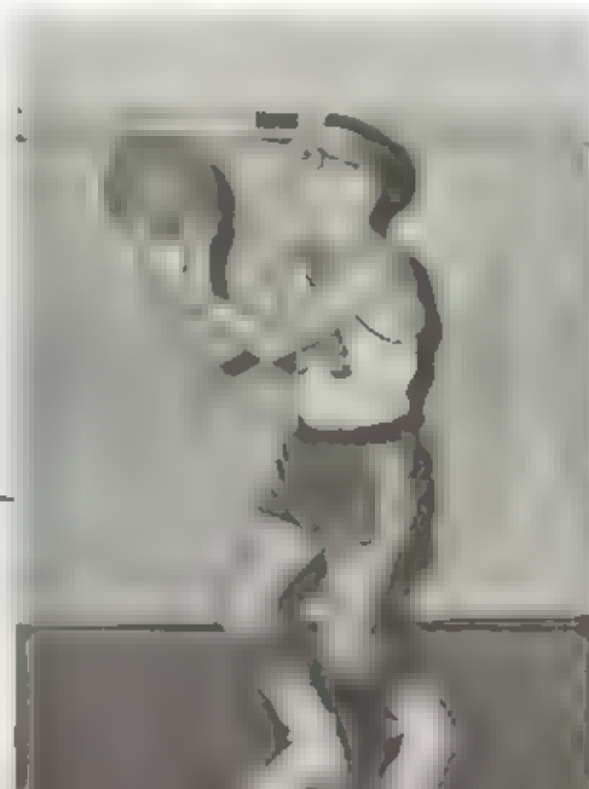


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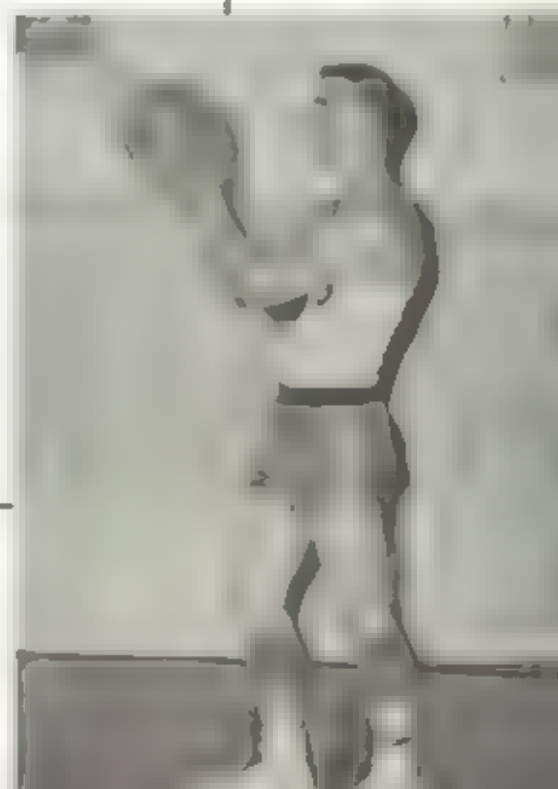


STEVE BEARD
LARRY DAVENRINER
TOM WEST

Coach



GARY NETERER



ED SANDS

C. C.	56	Arcola	69
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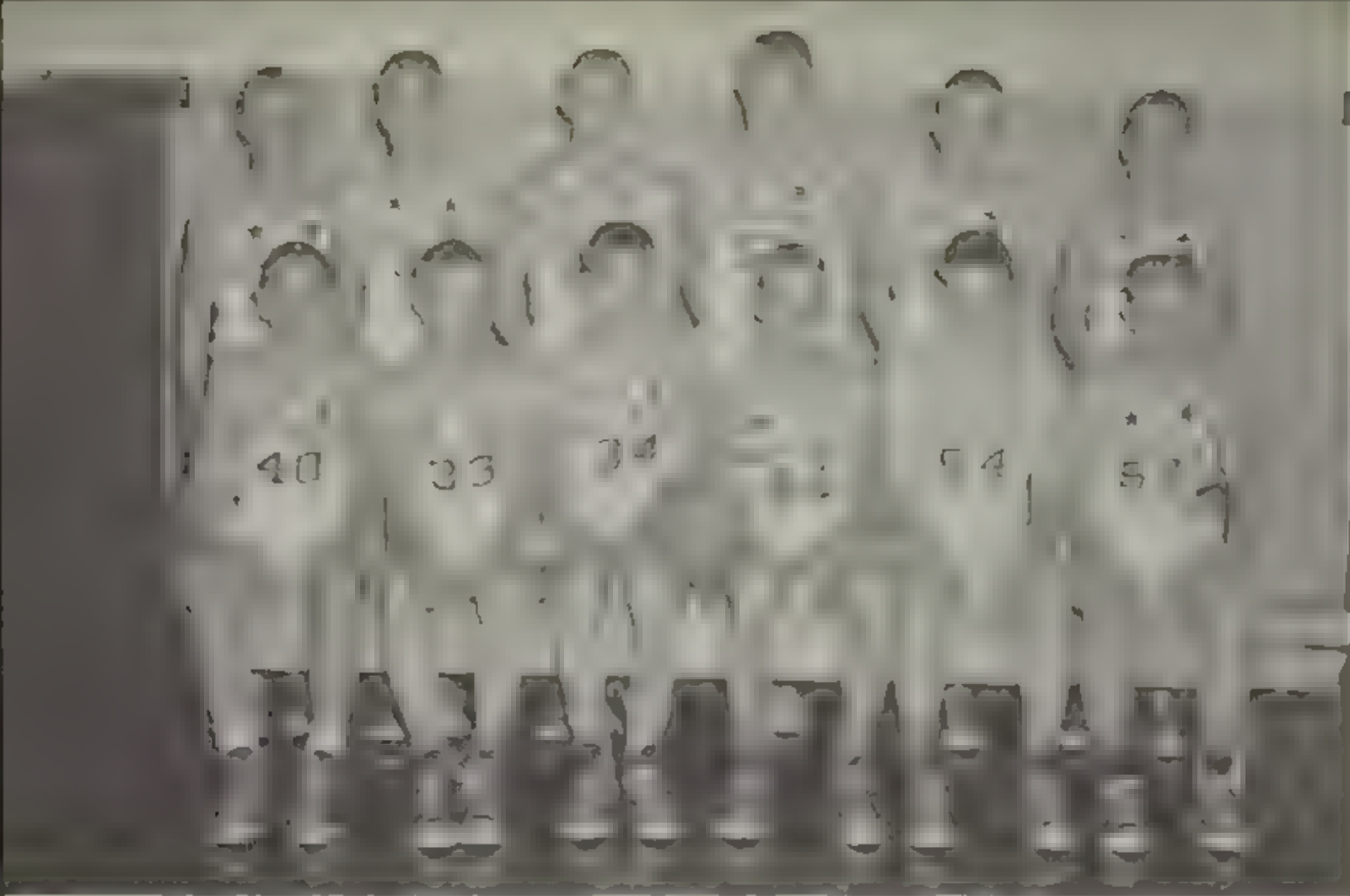
County Tournament

C. C.	65	Andrews	61
C. C.	62	Warren	41
C. C.	54	Htgn. Twp.	77

Sectional Tournament

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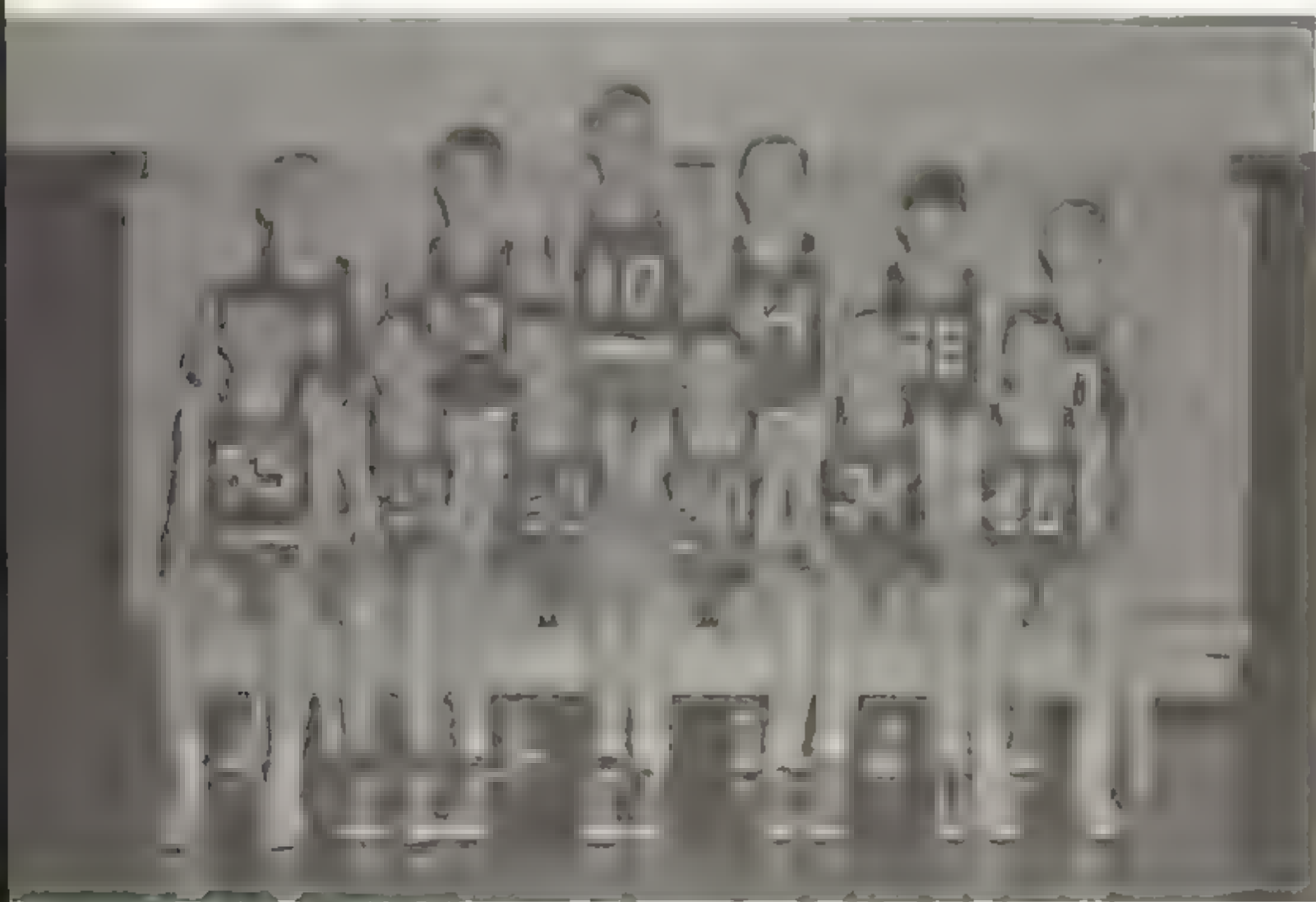




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TOP ROW: J. Beckman, K. Jennings, T. Robb, J. Farthing, M. Davenport, D. Henline. FRONT ROW: H. Whitacre, R. Horrell, D. Marsh, D. Kennedy, J. Wagner, J. Webb

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TOP ROW: M. Davenport, J. Zinsmeister, R. Nosker, T. Robb, D. Kennedy, R. Hammel, R. H. [unclear] THIRD ROW: G. Laht, R. Myers, J. Howenstine, D. Marsh, J. Farthing, R. Burkhardt, J. Michel. SECOND ROW: L. Snyder, R. Scher, G. Neterer, D. Finton, D. Jennings, K. Jennings, R. Myers. BOTTOM ROW: S. Beard, L. Davenport.

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TOP ROW: G. Neterer, R. Nosker, R. Burkhardt, D. Anderson, E. Sands, M. Stark, R. Myers, J. Michel. BOTTOM ROW: D. Kennedy, D. Marsh, K. Jennings, J. Howenstine, J. Deal, R. Hammel, J. Zinsmeister.



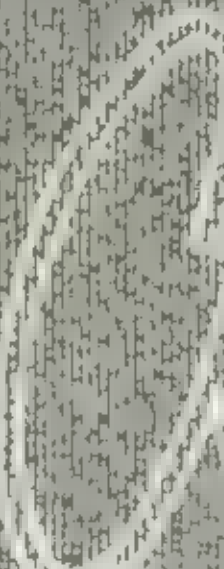
County Girls' Volleyball Champions

LEFT TO RIGHT: Lynn Hippensteel, Louise Roth, Sue Schmalzried, Katherine Urschel, Joy Rupley, Scorekeeper, Barbara Bickel, Barbara Gurtner, Madalyn Warner. NOI PRESENT: Dolores Keller, Janet Horrell.



Boys' Volleyball Team

TOP ROW: Ron Nosker, Don Anderson, Ed Sands, Fred Vendrick, Roger Burkhart. SECOND ROW: Ron Meyer, Gary Neterer, John Michel, Doug Jennings, Lynn Snyder.





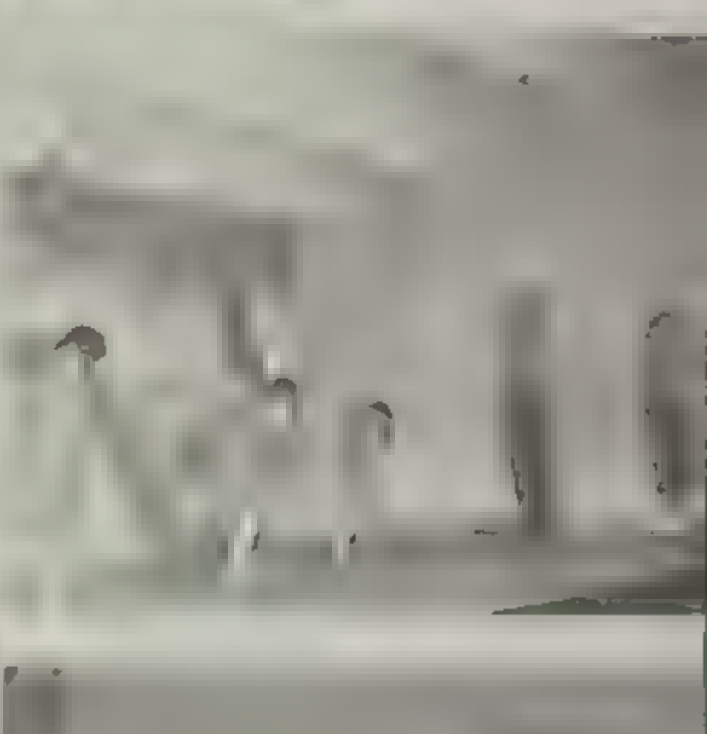
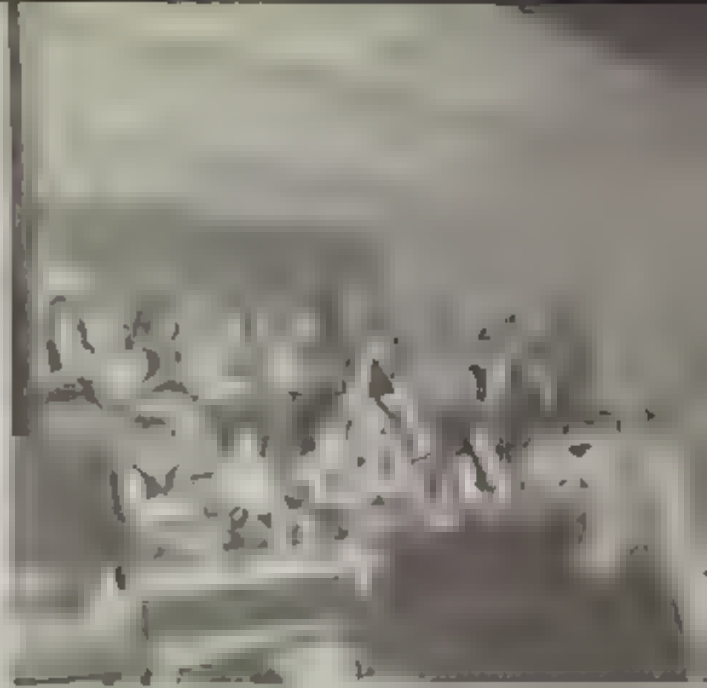
The Senior Class Play

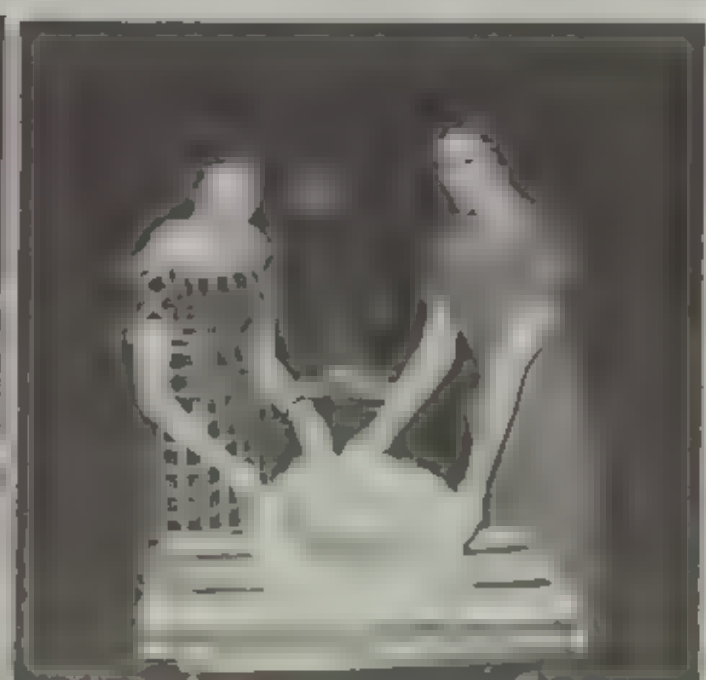
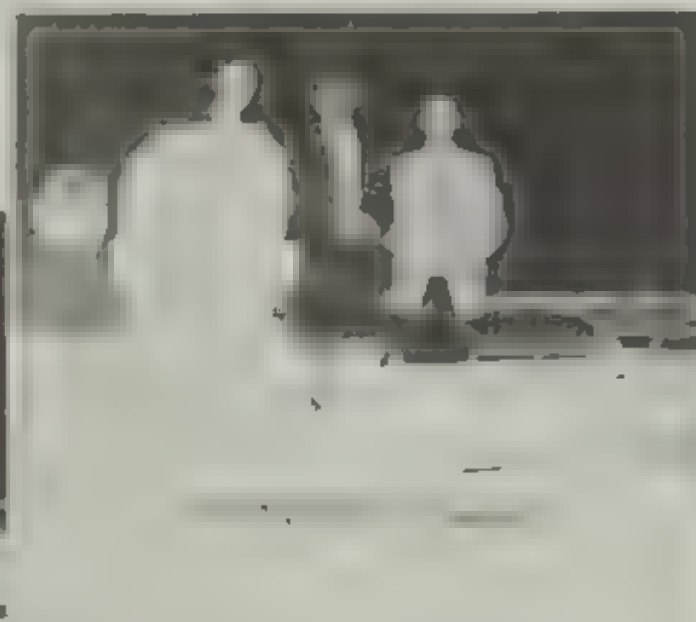
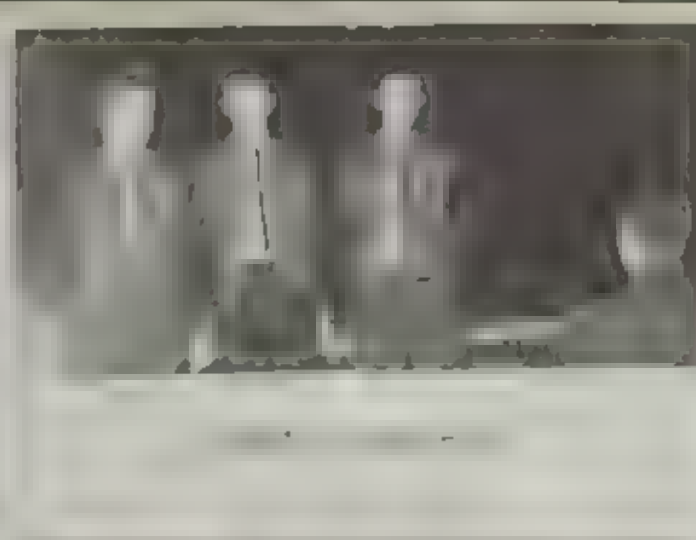
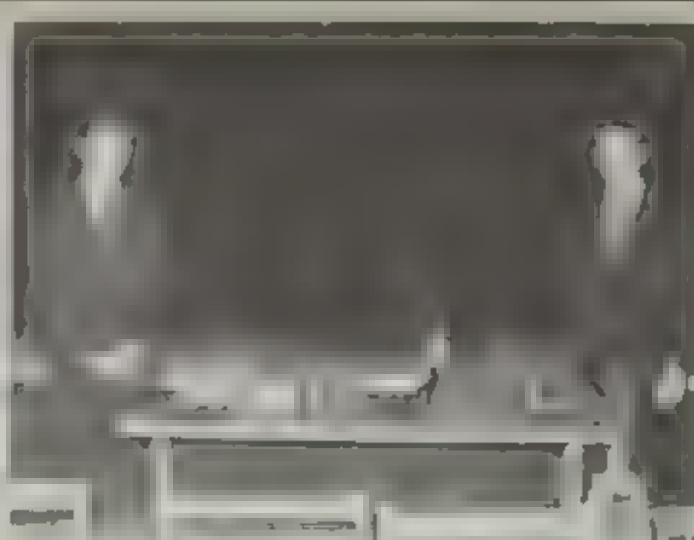
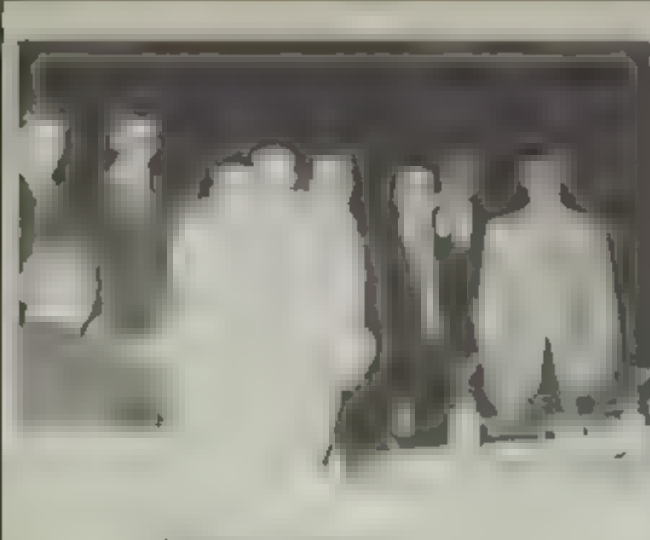
A LUCKY PENNY was a three-act comedy based on the idea of Penny's love for her art. Her love for art moves her family to expressing themselves; grandmother ends the art craze of Penny's with a hairbrush.

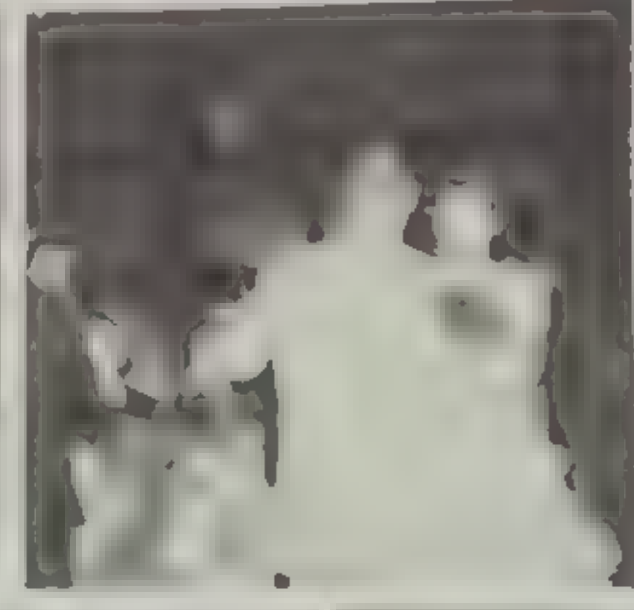
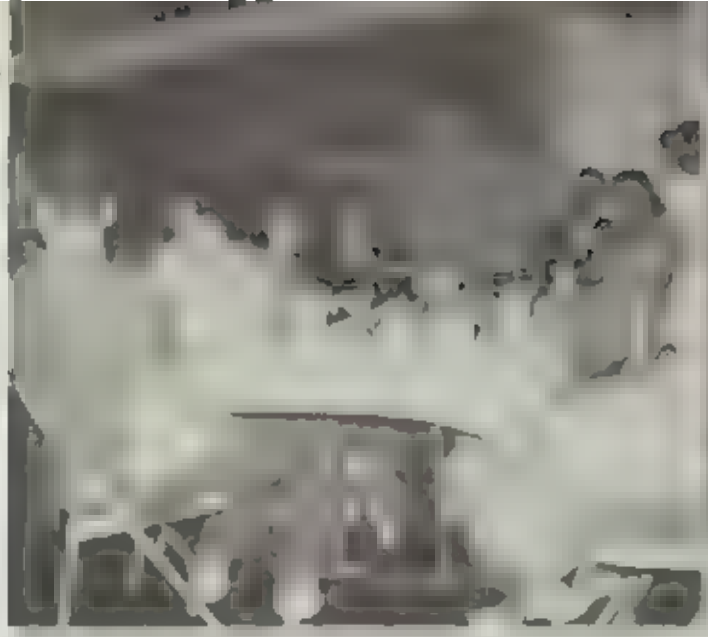
The Junior Class Play

YOU'LL DIE LAUGHING was a mystery-comedy formed around spooks, ghosts, and laughing deaths. Jason Pike leaves his fortune to his heirs, who gather at Creepy Castle and argue over who gets what. The ghosts turn out to be the college drama club, and everything turns out fine to prove that you shouldn't believe in spooks, and that it is difficult to change the ways of a college lad.

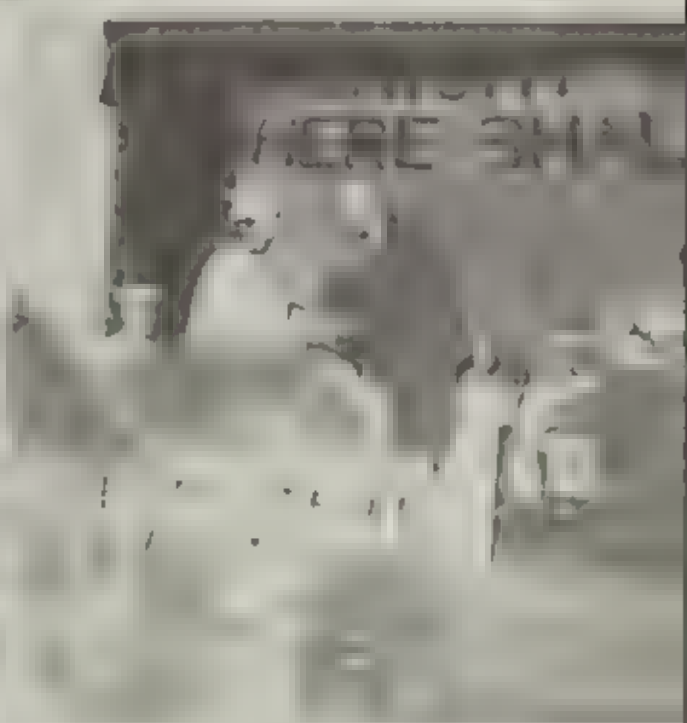
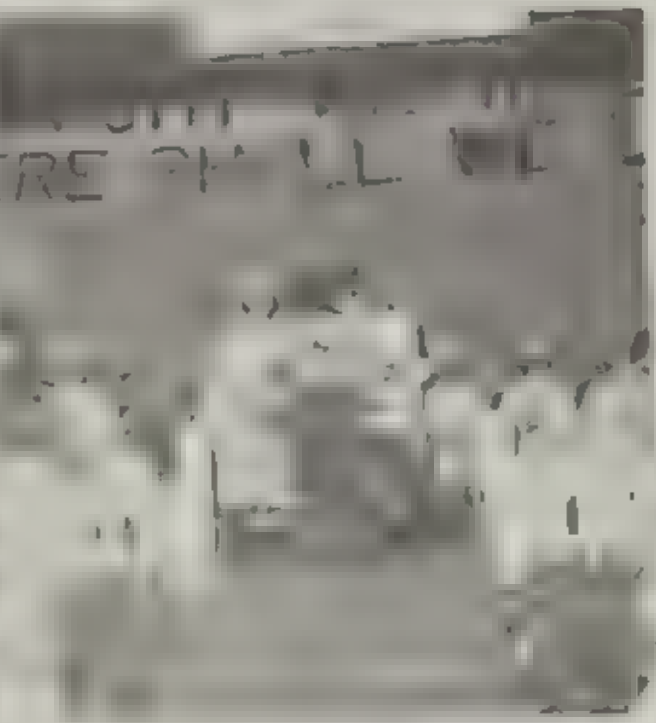
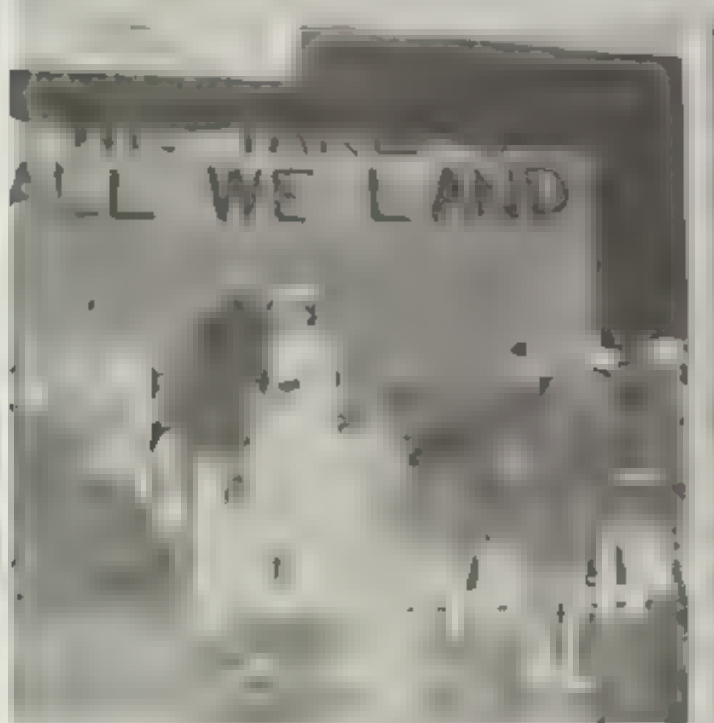
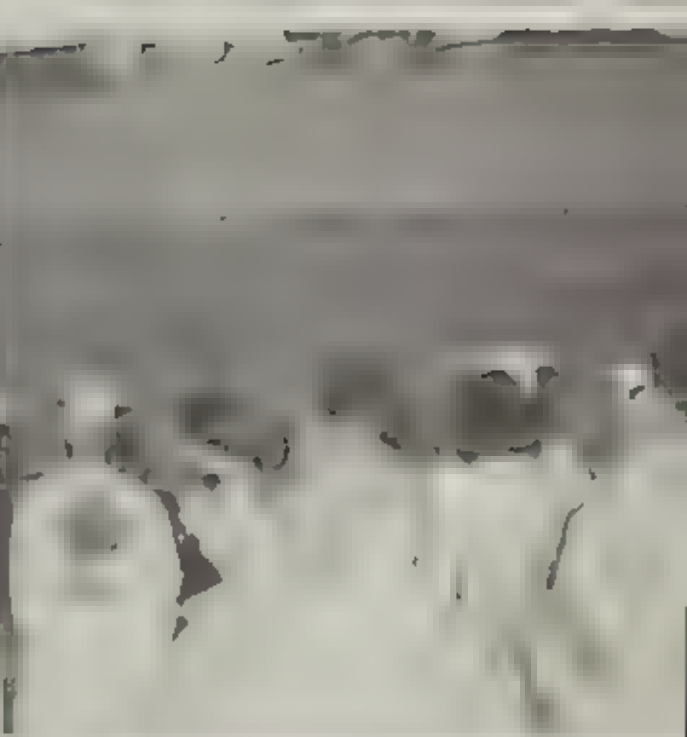
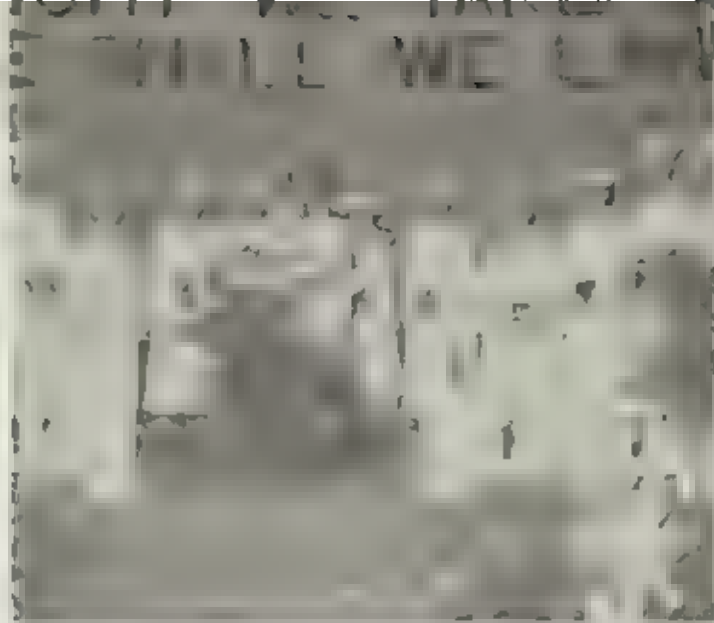












AUTUMN LEAVES WERE FALLING ON THE SCHOOL LAWNS, IN THE FALL OF 1947, WHEN:

14 well-scrubbed children were greeted by Mrs. Deloris Smith; they were Donald Anderson, Donald Brooks, Mickey Fitzpatrick, David Flora, Betty Fulton, Janice Gressley, Lynn Hippensteel, Dolores Keller, Elaine Raichart, Carole Sickafoose, Kay Smith, Roger Stephens, Marilyn Thomas, and Joyce Williams. Larry Christman, Howard Miller, and Judy Spillane joined the class later that same year.

13 boys and girls, dressed in their good clothes and best behavior, were met by Mrs. Hazel Eby; they were Karen Crago, Norma Deemer, Larry Dixon, Johnny Fisher, Galen Lahr, Gary Meyer, Andrea Prilaman, Karen Prilaman, Monte Schenkel, Chester Simms, Jean Smith, Tom West, Margie Wohlford. A busy year of getting acquainted and learning the alphabet followed. Chester Simms left.

IN 1948-49, AS SECOND GRADERS, THE CLASS FELT THEY WERE REALLY ADVANCED STUDENTS.

The class at C.C. decreased to the original 14, since Larry Christman, Howard Miller, and Judy Spillane did not return; all were familiar with Mrs. Smith, but annoyed with the infant-like first graders; popsicle sticks were a popular collector's item.

Jimmy Chaplin, Rodney Funk, and Virginia Wood joined the class at Bippus, while Johnny Fisher left the group, so there were 14. When the teacher, Mrs. Eby, left for an operation, the replacement, Mrs. Weist, told the class many interesting stories.

THIRD GRADE SEEMED DIFFERENT, WITH A NEW ROOM, A NEW TEACHER, AND GROWING INDEPENDENCE.

The Class of '59 increased by 5 in 1949-50; Freida Allman, John Bushee, Jerry Chapin, Sondra Stetzel, and Jerry Salters. This year the class had a MAN for a teacher, but the pupils soon learned that men are people, too, as they learned to know and have fun with Mr. Claude Keller. Marilyn Thomas moved away before the class started its 3rd year.

Students leaving the class of '59 were: Jimmy Chaplin and Gary Meyer, while Judy Widup and Kent Krumanaker joined it. All liked the teacher, Mrs. Alice Swihart, so were very sad when she died that spring. Mrs. Ernest Schenkel and Mrs. Frances McDaniel took her place. A train ride to Wabash was the highlight of the year.

IN 1950-51, THE FOURTH GRADERS OF BOTH SCHOOLS MET THEIR TEACHER WITH ASSURANCE.

A man-teacher was no longer a novelty, and Mr. Claude Keller was again the teacher of the 18 in the class--Tom Clapp, Rosalyn Jennings, and Jean Ulrich took the seats vacated by Jerry Chapin, Mickey Fitzpatrick, and Joyce Williams. The class members were eagerly awaiting the fifth grade and prospects of grade basketball and girls' softball games.

Karen Crago, Kent Krumanaker, Virginia Wood, and Rodney Funk left the class, leaving 10 members. Mrs. McDaniel was again teaching the class; she got some pet hamsters, and it was fun to feed and care for them, but woe be to fingers close enough to be bitten. The class looked forward to 5th grade, but had heard Mr. W. was a "real tough teacher."

WHILE FIFTH GRADERS, PUPILS AT BIPPUS AND CLEAR CREEK BECAME VERY SPORTS-MINDED AS THEY BEGAN INTER-SCHOOL BALL GAMES WITH EACH OTHER.

At C.C., in 1951-52, Mr. Kenneth Templeton was foreman of the Fifth Division of the brain factory. Ronald Meyer, William Shafer, and Ethel Walters filled the vacant places of John Bushee and Jean Ulrich, so the class number swelled to 19 members.

The 10 pupils at Bippus soon had the addition of Pete Minnear and Karen Crago; Judy Widup left the group. All enjoyed Mr. Walter Whitacre for a teacher; lessons were harder, but monitors were elected from honor roll pupils; all worked for that honor; ping pong, jokes, and songs added to a happy year.

AS THE CLASS BEGAN ITS SIXTH YEAR AND REALIZED IT WAS ALMOST HALFWAY THROUGH SCHOOL, IT REALLY FELT IMPORTANT AND WANTED EVERYONE TO KNOW ABOUT ITS ACHIEVEMENTS.

There were happy exclamations (mingled with a few groans) as the 6th grade realized that Mr. Claude Keller was its teacher again--he had been promoted to the 5th and 6th grades, as teacher. The class membership was only 15, because Freida Allman, Tom Clapp, Jerry Salters, and Ethel Walters had all left, and no one came to take their places.

There were still 11 students in the class at Bippus, with Mr. Whitacre as teacher. The fifth grade planned a graduation, complete with caps, diplomas, and a party, for the 6th grade who were finally getting up in the world--they would be upstairs next year. There was also a trip to Ft. Wayne to see many interesting things.

THE CLASS OF '59 EXCITEDLY ADVANCED TO JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL AND, ALTHOUGH THEY WERE CONFUSED ABOUT WHERE TO GO, AND WHEN, IT DIDN'T TAKE LONG TO GET INTO THE SWING OF THINGS.

The class membership for this 7th year dropped to 14 when William Shafer left it. Everyone was proud of the Junior high basketball team which was Runner-up in the Junior High Tournament. Class sponsor was Mr. Henry J. Hunt, while M. Dale Butt was the principal.

AS EIGHTH GRADERS THE CLASS STARTED THE YEAR WITH LOTS OF CONFIDENCE, FEELING HIGHLY SUPERIOR TO THE LOWLY SEVENTH GRADE, BUT MOSTLY THEY WERE JUST WAITING TO BECOME FRESHMEN.

There were still 14 in the class at C.C. --Sondra Stetzel left; Jean Ulrich replaced her; the class sponsor was again Mr. Hunt.

IN AUGUST, 1955, THE BIG YEAR HAD ARRIVED! THE CLASS WERE FRESHMEN! THEY WERE REALLY A SIGHT ON INITIATION DAY, BUT FRESHMAN YEAR IS SOMETHING THE CLASS WILL NEVER FORGET.

Class membership remained the same at C.C.; Mr. Philip Lahr was sponsor, and the class began earning money with bake sales and a skating party. The year was magnificently capped when the Bulldogs won the Sectional Basketball Tournament and were Runners-up in the Regional at Marion. After such a thrill everything else seemed quite calm.

GRADUATION TIMED CLOSER AS THE CLASS BEGAN ITS SOPHOMORE YEAR AND ORDERED CLASS RINGS.

The class lost Carole Sickafoose, who had been an outstanding class member all the previous years, when she moved to Arizona. The unlucky number of 13 didn't dampen the spirits of the class as it plunged full-steam ahead into a profitable scrap drive, bake sales, and a skating party; Mr. Richard Augspurger guided the class as sponsor.

THE YEAR 1955 FOUND THE JUNIORS IN THE TWO SCHOOLS VERY BUSY AND HAPPY. THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR WERE THE JUNIOR-SENIOR TRIP TO WASHINGTON, D. C., AND NEW YORK, AND PARTICIPATION AS JUNIORS IN A BACCALAUREATE AND COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM. SENIOR YEAR WAS COMING NEARER.

As Juniors, the class again lost a charter member, Kay Smith, the class treasurer, who moved to Greenfield, Indiana. Original class members remaining were: Donald Anderson, Donald Brooks, Betty Fulton, Janice Gressley, Lynn Hippensteel, Dolores Keller, Elaine Raichart, Roger Stephens; Larry Davenport, Rosalyn Jennings, Ronald Meyer, and Jean Ulrich completed the dozen class members. With Mrs. Elsie Kitt directing, the class presented "The Magic Touch"; Mrs. Ferne Johnson was class sponsor; to fatten its bank account, the class sold magazines and candy, had bake sales and a skating party.

While the 7th graders felt important, they sometimes stood in the hall until told where to go by Mr. Tilson King, principal. With Mr. Robert Elsmere as sponsor, membership remained at 11--the class lost Pete Miniear and gained Dawn Mooney. The death of Ronald Garber, math teacher, saddened all.

With Mr. Elsmere as sponsor, membership stood at 11, at Bippus. Vernon Fletcher joined the class, but left soon. Mr. Shipman, history teacher, took the class to Lafayette to see historical sites.

Larry Dixon, who had been with the class since the 1st grade, left to go to Huntington; but Jane Herrberg joined the class, so membership remained at 11. The sponsor, Miss Joan Humbarger, left Bippus during the last of the year, and there were several substitute teachers, Rev. Armour Keiler among them. Tilson King remained as principal.

The sophomore sponsor at Bippus was Mr. Jack Sell, and the principal was William Freed. Glenn Urschel joined the class, so the number grew to 12. The history class had an eventful "pizza party" at Norma Deemer's, with motor-scooter and Ford-Convertible rides. Scrap drives proved to be a lot of fun, and the class could scarcely wait for class rings.

Class rings arrived; the juniors and seniors presented "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," directed by Mr. Bittner, the class sponsor. Mr. William Freed remained as principal. The class had fun on two scrap drives, and were busy with candy sales. The dozen in the class included 8 who had been together since the 1st grade--Norma Deemer, Galen Lahr, Andrea Prilaman, Karen Prilaman, Monte Schenkel, Jean Smith, Thomas West, and Margie Wohlford. The other 4 were: Karen Crago, Jane Herrberg, Dawn Mooney, and Glenn Urschel.

Senior History Continued

1959! HERE WE ARE! SENIORS AT LAST! After a long struggle we have finally reached the end of our school days. Our class members are now a teen due to the fact that six Bonham High School students, Norma Deemer, Helen Jahr, Dawn Maynes, Marcia Skinner, Jean Smith, and Thomas West, came to Clear Creek to spend the treasured last year of school.

Our senior activities got under way with the production of "A Lucky Penny," directed by Mrs. Fannie Johnson.

To earn money for our graduation, besides the play, we sold Christmas cards and a sponsored skating party. All the seniors enjoyed decorating the school Christmas tree and planning the assembly program.

As the second semester progressed the seniors were busier than ever. Basketball games and other social plans were made, and also the Junior and Senior Reception was being planned.

As our school days are coming to a close, we, the class of 1959, wish to thank the faculty and all of the students for giving us the memories which we'll never forget and for tolerating our eccentricities.

Sincerely and sentimentally,

Class of 1959

There is no class more fine,
Than the Class of '59!!

Last Will and Testament of the Class of '59

We, the class of 1959, wish to alert the class of 1960 benefit from some of our experiences, hereby dedicate this last will and testament to them.

I, Donald Anderson, will Roger Burkhardt the power to resist cigarettes.

I, Donald Brooks, will my poker-playing ability to Steve Beard so he will know how it feels to be broke.

I, Larry Dave Miller, will my ability to be stuck in traffic to David Kelley so he can avoid the snags after the ball games.

I, Norma Deemer, will all my "brownie points" to Pam Garrison.

I, Betty Fulton, will my height to Ed Sands.

I, Janice Gressley, will my spelling ability to Louise Roth.

I, Lynn Hippensteel, will my freckles to Judy Emley.

I, Rosalyn Jennings, will my ability to hold any offices in clubs, organizations, and classes to Larry Callison.

I, Dolores Keller, will my band suit to Janice McConaha, so she will not have to get by the seniors in her own suit.

Class will continued

I, Galen Lahr, will my drag-racing ability to Louie Snyder.

I, Ronnie Meyer, will my third base position to Gary Neterer.

I, Dawn Mooney, will my part in the Senior play to anyone who has a memory like an elephant

I, Elaine Ratchart, will Diane Ziegler my clarinet, so a Senior can continue to occupy one of the first clarinet positions.

I, Marcia Shiner, will my government and sociology books to K. Bicker. P. S. Your name is already on them.

I, Jean Smith, will my ability to be a cheerleader to Ronnie Scher, so he will be the first boy in C. C.'s history to cheer us on to victory.

I, Roger Stephens, will my card playing ability to Ansel Lahr.

I, Jean Ulrich, will my job in the lunch room to Bob Meyers, so he can fill his own plate.

I, Tom West, will my ability to cart carloads of girls around to Danny Ulrich

I, Donald Anderson, will my ability to keep my car on the road to John Michel.

I, Donald Brooks, will my fender skirts to Dave Flora, so his hot car will look "catty."

I, Larry Davenport, will my ability to fill glasses of milk at school at noon to Bill Clote, so he can fill his own glass.

We, Norma, Dawn, Lynn, Marcia, and Dolores, will our "hard-used" speech books to Mr. Stoffel and next year's class.

I, Betty Flinton, will my position in the front seat of the Senior row to Wanda Miller

I, Janice Gressley, will my bookkeeping ability to Danny Ulrich.

I, Lynn Hippensteel, will my athletic ability to Diann Bentz.

I, Rosalyn Jennings, will my golden locks to Shirley Myers, so she can wear red without dazing everyone.

I, Dolores Kehler, will my position on the girls' volleyball team to Doug Jennings, so he can guide the Clear Creek girls to another county championship.

I, Galen Lahr, will my ability to avoid girls to Fred Vendrick.

I, Ronnie Myer, will my ability to "scatter sunshine" on Saturdays to Ronnie Nosker.

We, Marcia and Dawn, will our ability to go steady in our Senior year to any junior who'd like to

I, Elaine Ratchart, will my sweet smile to Janice Horrell to help her lure all the boys to her side

We, the four talented (?) singers, Norma, Jean, Dawn, and Marcia, will our "Problems" to the Juniors as that ride on the Bippus bus.

I, Jean Smith, will my ability to avoid detention to Carol Myer so she can enjoy her noon hour.

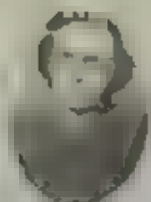
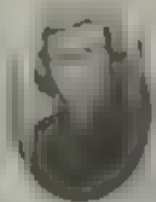
We, the boys of the Class of '59, will our ability to fight with the girls in our class to the Junior boys

We, the girls of the Class of '59, will our ability to veto the wishes of the boys by means of a majority to the Junior girls.

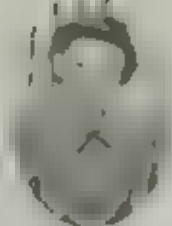
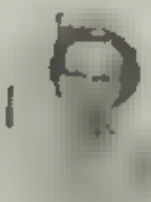
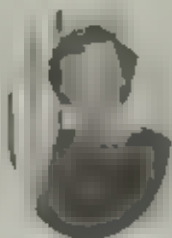
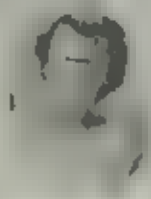
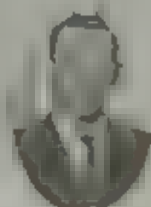
We, the fine Class of '59, will our treasured memories of fun and work, quietness and noisiness, and winning and losing, to the Class of 1960 who have but one more year to roam the halls of the "Little Red Schoolhouse."

We, the Class of 1959, will leave -

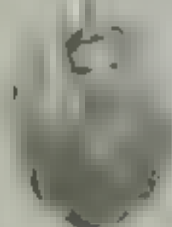
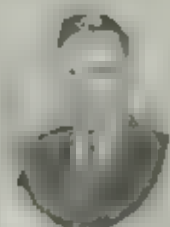
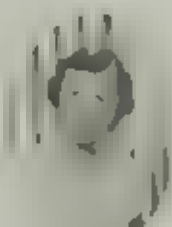
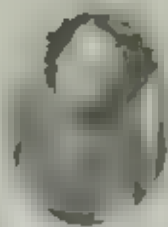
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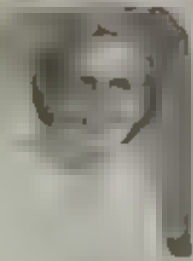


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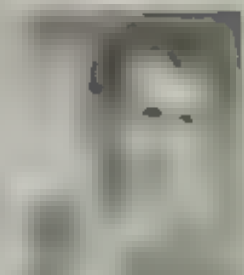
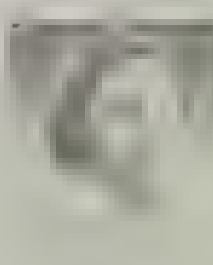




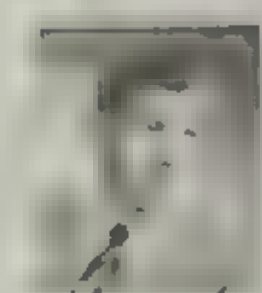
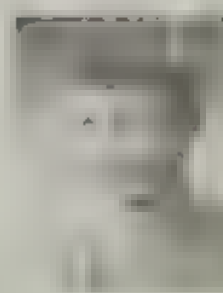
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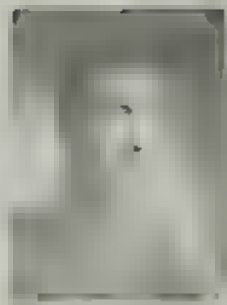


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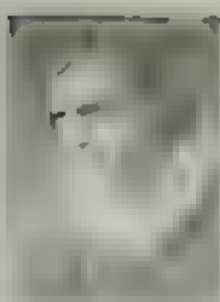
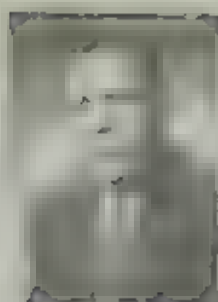


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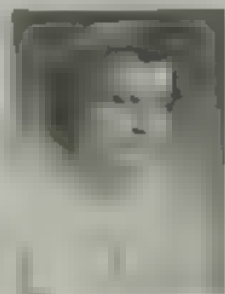
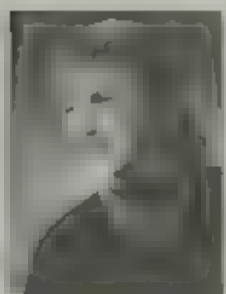
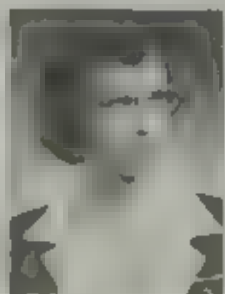
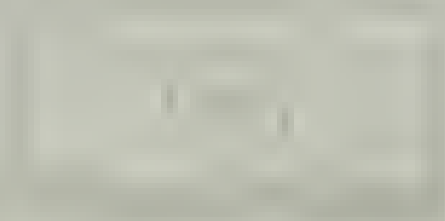
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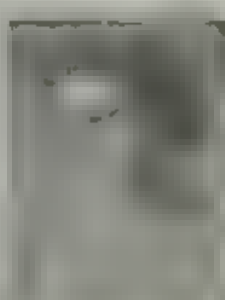
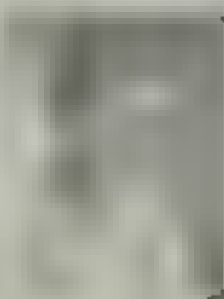
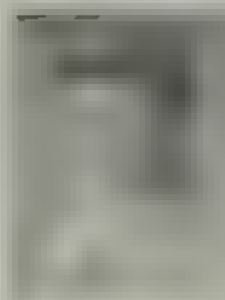
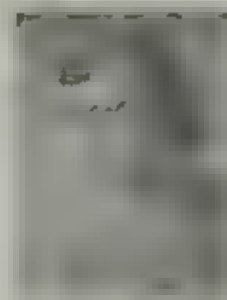
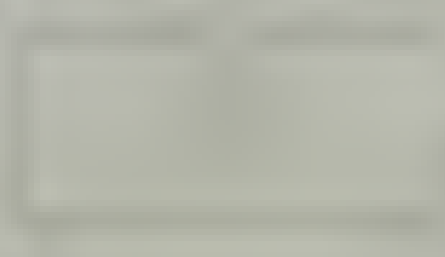
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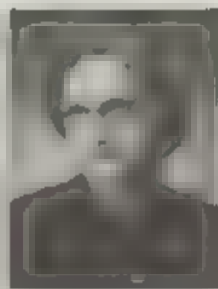
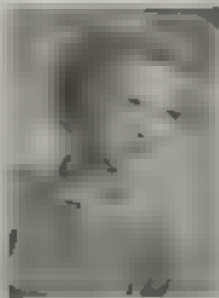
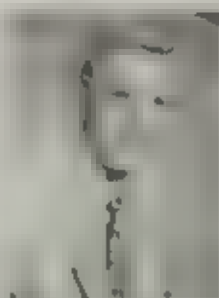
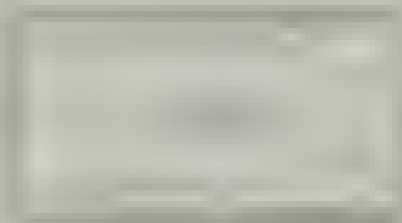
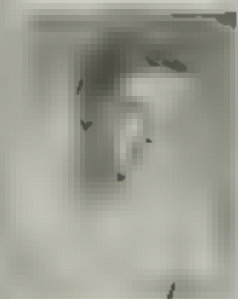


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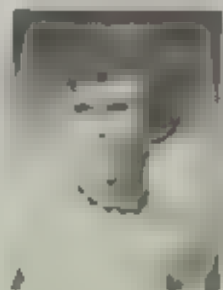
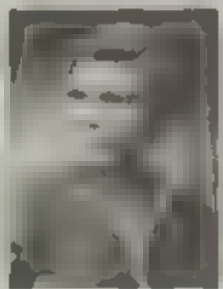




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COACHES



1959 Class Prophecy

TODAY WE TAKE OFF, WHERE DO WE LAND? SPACE!

In the last few years many unsuccessful attempts have been made to land a rocket ship in outer space; today it is possible to land successfully on a recently discovered planet.

I, Jimmy Hoffman, reporter for the well-known, widely distributed "Bulldog Bark" newspaper, have been sent to cover this spectacular event by my boss, M. D. Butt. Arriving at Mount Canaveral, I was directed to Fordyce's Space Station, much to my surprise it was owned and operated by Mr. Max Fordyce, of C. C. H. S. Talking with him, I learned that he had discovered the planet we were to land on, and had named it Philanderium after his lovely wife. He had built the station with the aid of his former, brilliant student, T. M. West, who was hooked on space exploration, and had dreams of establishing a butcher-shop in outer space.

As Mr. Fordyce was called away to attend to last minute details, I struggled through the crowd to find some of the passengers making the first trip. Suddenly, I was thumped on the back, "Hi ya, Shorty, I heard you were looking for me. I'm Thomas West at your service."

"T. M. West! Yes, sir, I was! Whatever prompted you to make this flight?"

"Well, our senior class motto was, TONIGHT WE TAKE OFF, WHERE DO WE LAND. After graduation, I wanted to be somebody, maybe TAKE OFF like the motto said. After Fordyce discovered Philanderium, we decided to go and explore it, we worked building this station for 30 years, finally, we're ready to take off. It will mean leaving my twelve kids--I was married 25 years ago, and figured they were cheaper by the dozen. No, I'm not afraid to go. In fact, I'm not going alone. I'm only the pilot for this flight, Fordyce and my classmates, the Graduating Class of 1959 from C. C. H. S., are accompanying me. They are over there getting into their pressurized space suits."

I wandered over toward the group, and it sure is funny, but I did not recognize any of these people. I guess 30 years make quite a change in people. First, I met a rather tall, stocky woman, who had just received her space suit. Upon inquiry, she said, "I'm Lynn Hippensteel, and I have been a social worker and nurse here on Earth. I've been asked to go along on this trip to keep peace among the Philanderians and the Earth people."

Then, I interviewed a Mr. Don Brooks. He and Roger Stephens were going to be the first Earth farmers on Philanderium and create a new breed of chickens by crossing Earth with Phil chickens.

I then talked with a tremendously attractive lady named Rosie Jennings. After dating Earth men 30 years, and finding none who met her standards, she wanted to accompany the adventurous crew in search of a little space man suitable to her standards.

This space station is really quite a sight with all the piles of baggage and equipment that is to be taken. Maybe we can find out who belongs to this mountainous pile of trunks. H'mmm, on the side of this one, it says, "Meyer and Keller Gymnasium Incorporated." Remembering that Ronnie had won world-wide acclaim for weight lifting, and Dorcas had coached the World's Champion Girl's Wrestling Team, I decided to find out what connection there could be between the two. Ronnie and Dorcas had decided to combine their talents and establish a school to teach all those cute little space people how to protect themselves.

Noticing two ladies talking very excitedly, I walked over and asked, "Hello, who are you two charming ladies?"

"I'm Jean Smith, and this is my friend, the former Jean Ulrich. Miss Ulrich married a wealthy millionaire, and wanted to make her husband's second million, so we decided to start a dog bank to be operated exclusively for all the rich flaks who can afford to buy their own dogs."

These two characters over here look like they have the strangest occupations of all. They're both dressed in flaming red uniforms, with hats adorned with tall plumes. They have been trainers of wild animals, and are going to the new planet to start a circus, to be called "Anderson and Davenport's Greatest Show on Philanderium." Anderson will have charge of the training of the elephants, and Davenport will care for the monkeys.

After wishing them success, I went on to interview a character who was greasy from head to foot. He was Galen LaRue. He was to help keep the space ship in good running order. From his greasy face and hands, you can tell he puts his whole self into his work.

Next, I saw a group of ladies chatting. Dawn Mooney told me she was a member of the staff of the magazine, DIO, and wanted to be the first to inform the little space people about Pelvis Eresley, Bat Poone, and Nicky Nelson. Then there was a very small person, Elaine Ratchart. She would be the first telephone operator for Bell Telephone in Outer Space.

I talked to a D. D. S., a tall woman, the former Marcia Shriner, who told me she had married a college boy. She and her husband were going to open Marcy and Kent's Dental Office on the new planet.

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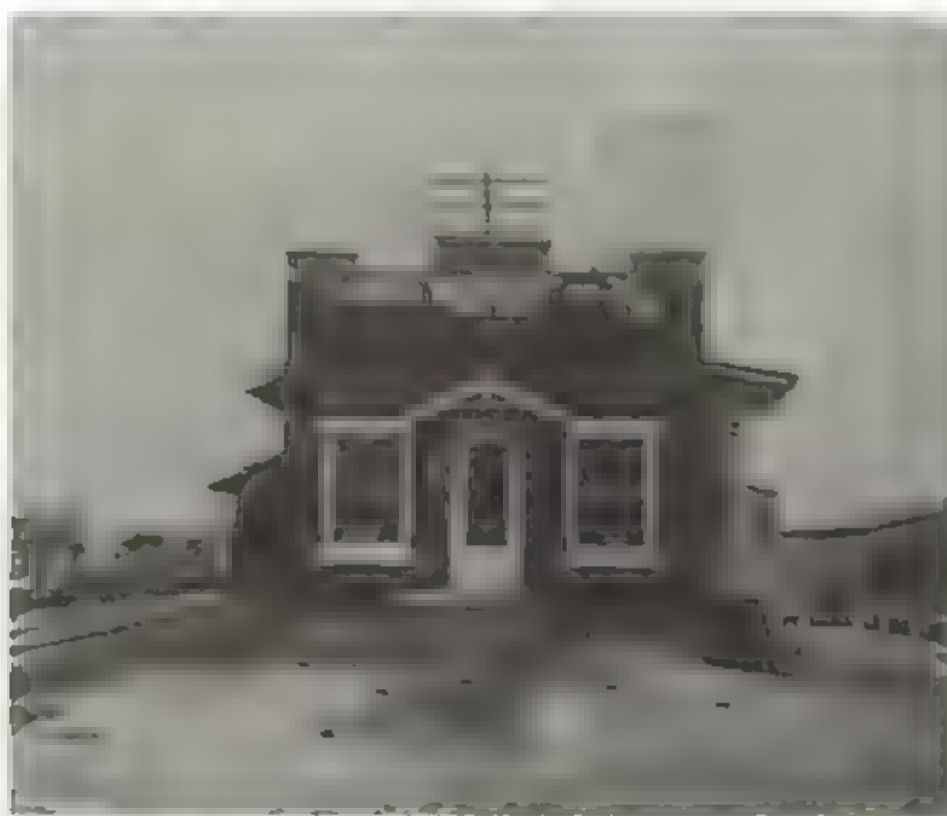
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Two other women, pulling on space helmets, were Norma Deemer and Janice Gressley, who were to attend a college on Philanderium. Norma had been married and divorced six times, and now thought she would study psychology, and maybe marry one of the professors at the college. Janice wanted to major in Business Law and Economics and be the sheriff on Philanderium.

I noticed a pretty lady standing on the side of the ship, ready to blast off. She was the former Betty Fulton, and had married a movie star, after being his secretary for ten years, she and her husband were going to be the first actor and actress team in outer space.

Well, I guess I've talked to everybody now. It is only two minutes until the take-off. Everybody is in the space ship, and the co-pilot is shutting the hatch. I can hear the countdown - - - 5-4-3-2-1 - - - THEY'RE OFF! LET'S HOPE THEY LAND!!!

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